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# *Plant Now!*

## for Glorious Summer Gardens

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### *Our 1953 Catalog*

OFFERS A COMPLETE SELECTION OF  
**BERRY PLANTS, FRUIT TREES,  
FLOWERS and SHRUBS**

# GATEWAY NURSERY

S. W. KANGER, Prop.

**NEW BUFFALO, MICHIGAN**

*"The Gateway of Michigan"*



## To Our Friends - Old and New

We thank you for your patronage and hope we have pleased you. We wish to serve you again and offer you our 1953 Catalog with bargains in small fruit plants and trees.

## Discounts

ORDER EARLY! On all cash orders received before Mar. 1st we will allow a 10% DISCOUNT. On your cash orders received before March 15th, 1953 we will allow you 5% DISCOUNT. You may take a cash discount, or, if you prefer you may order additional plants for your discount.

## We Guarantee

OUR NURSERY STOCK to be first-class in every respect, free from insects or plant diseases and *true to name*.

We hold ourselves ready to refund or replace any stock that proves otherwise; but, in no case will be responsible for a sum greater than the original purchase price paid. We do not hold ourselves responsible for crop damage by weather, floods, insects or other reasons beyond our control.

## We Pay Postage

Please note that our prices in this catalog are POSTPAID, except those otherwise marked. These prices will save you about 10%. Planting instructions are sent with each order, look for them in the package.

## Plants Required to Set an Acre

Strawberries .....	3½	ft. x	1½	ft.	8,300
Strawberries .....	3	ft. x	1	ft.	12,000
Red Raspberries .....	7	ft. x	3½	ft.	1,800
Black Raspberries .....	8	ft. x	4	ft.	1,400
Grapes .....	6	ft. x	8	ft.	880
Grapes .....	8	ft. x	10	ft.	540

## Time to Plant

March, April and May are the right planting months. Be sure to state on your order when you want your plants shipped. If in doubt we will ship at proper planting time in your locality. Order your plants early and take advantage of our DISCOUNTS. You may take a cash discount, or we will gladly send you additional plants for your discount.

## References

The Citizens Bank, Michigan City, Indiana; Postmaster or Express Agent, New Buffalo, Michigan; Dun & Bradstreet.

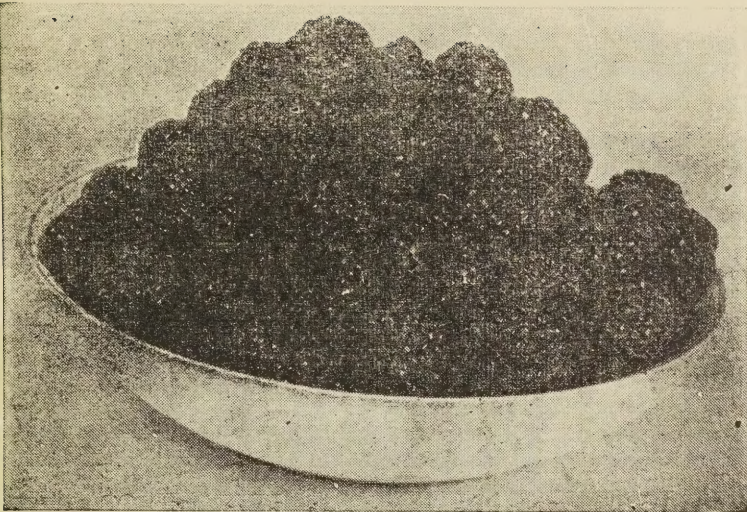
# GATEWAY NURSERY

*S. W. Kanger, Prop.*

**New Buffalo, Michigan**

*The Gateway of Michigan*





OFFER NO. 1

25 CUMBERLAND  
12 MORRISON

1 YR. NO. 1

PREPAID  
FOR ONLY

**\$250**

NO DISCOUNT

## MORRISON *Black Raspberry*

The new MORRISON BLACKCAP has been widely tested in several states and was found to be *tops* among blackcaps. It is larger and firmer than the Cumberland and holds its size to the last of the picking season. Berries will not crumble and are very firm, dark and glossy. They're good for market or table use. Try a few.

12 for \$1.50

25 for 2.75

50 for 4.75

100 for \$ 7.75

250 for 18.50

500 for 35.00

PREPAID

## The Famous LATHAM *Red Raspberry*

LATHAM has proved to be the best of all Red Raspberries. LATHAM is the best for planting in all sections. It is a very hardy and vigorous grower and very productive. Berries have a bright color—very firm and tasty—a very good shipper. These qualities make it the most desirable for markets or home use. Shown on Front Cover.

1-Yr.  
No. 1

2-Yr. No. 1  
Bearing Age

6 for \$ . . .

\$ 1.50

12 for 1.50

2.50

25 for 2.50

4.50

50 for 4.25

7.75

100 for 7.50

13.25

200 for 13.50

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## CUMBERLAND *A Business Blackcap*

The most popular Blackcap grown. A commercial variety you can depend on for big profits. Will grow on any soil and will bear year after year.

One Year No. 1

25 for \$1.50

200 for \$ 8.25

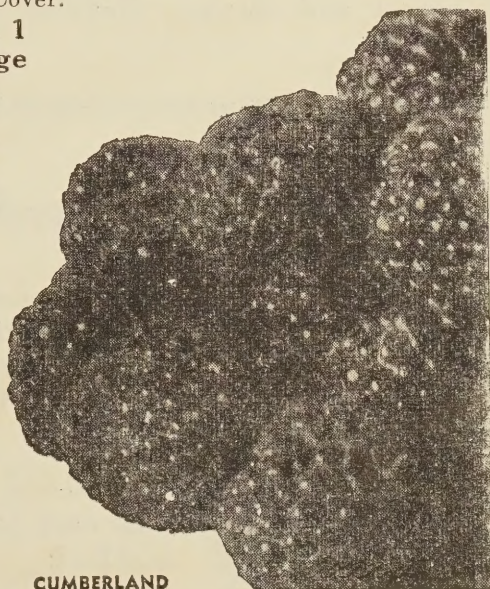
50 for 2.75

300 for 11.25

100 for 4.75

500 for 19.50

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CUMBERLAND



# *Hardy Everblooming* **ROSES**

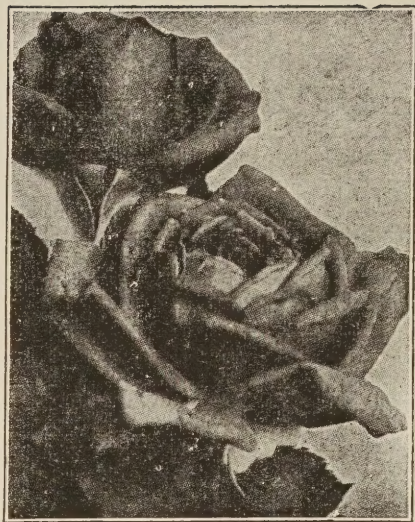
We are offering some of the choicest varieties of Hybrid Tea Roses which will bloom all summer.

**EDITOR McFARLAND.** One of the finest pink roses. Very good for cutting. Very fragrant.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND.** One of the best dark red roses. A good grower, free flowering and very fragrant.

**CALEDONIA.** A very good white rose. Long buds opening to large double flower.

**TALISMAN.** A two-tone of golden yellow stained with coppery red. A very popular rose.



Each \$1.00

3 for \$2.70

PREPAID

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## **FREE PLANTING BOOK**

With every order of \$5.00 or more we send a Planting Guide FREE. This 16 page book "HOW TO PLANT" contains practical information on planting, pruning, spraying and general care of plants, trees and shrubs. Regular price 10c.

## **CASH DISCOUNTS**

On all cash orders received before

March 1, 1953 10%

March 15, 1953 5%

Discount allowed on any items except our Special Offers.

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## *Gateway's Hardy* **PHLOX** *Collection*

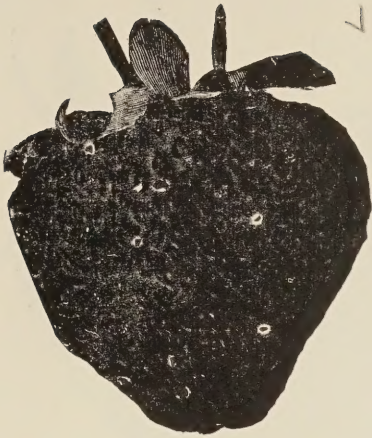
Phlox do not require much care and they are a lasting beauty to any flower garden. They bloom starting in July and until late fall their flowers are very showy.

### **PHLOX COLLECTION**

One each of White, Pink, Salmon and Red:

4 for \$1.25

PREPAID



## PREMIER (*Early*)

The earliest spring bearing variety. Will start bearing fruit heavily before other varieties begin. Berries are large, very firm and hold their size to the last of the season. PREMIER is an all-purpose berry, a good canner and a very good long distance shipper.

25 for \$1.00	250 for \$ 6.25
50 for 1.75	500 for 10.50
100 for 2.75	1,000 for 18.00

PREPAID

## CATSKILL

The best midseason berry. Will yield enormous crops of fine berries, large and scarlet red, on most any soil and weather conditions. Our plants are hardy, healthy, well-rooted stock. We recommend you plant CATSKILL for a profitable berry as they ripen after the Premier are through bearing. Be sure to order CATSKILL with your PREMIER order.

25 for \$1.00	250 for \$ 6.25
50 for 1.75	500 for 10.50
100 for 2.75	1,000 for 18.50

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### OFFER NO. 2

50 FAIRLAND  
50 CATSKILL

PREPAID  
FOR ONLY

**\$250**

NO DISCOUNT

## MICHIGAN STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Bureau of Plant Industry  
Certificate of Nursery Inspection No. 3569

This is to certify that the Nursery Stock of Gateway Nursery, New Buffalo, has been examined and found to be apparently free from dangerous insects and dangerously contagious tree and plant diseases.

CHAS. FIGY, Commissioner

This certificate to be void after Sept. 15, 1953. C. A. Boyer, Chief, Bureau of Plant Industry, Lansing, Mich., 8-28-52.

### OFFER NO. 3

100 PREMIER  
100 DUNLAP

PREPAID  
FOR ONLY

**\$350**

NO DISCOUNT



New and an  
Excellent June  
bearing  
Strawberry . .



**VERMILION** In 1941 Dr. A. S. Colby of the University of Illinois produced this fine and outstanding June bearing Strawberry. They are of fine quality and a firm berry. A vigorous grower and a good producer. Fine for jams jellies, table use and excellent for freezing.

Red Steele resistant plants. Supply is limited so order early.

25 for \$3.00      50 for \$5.50      100 for \$10.00

PREPAID

## QUART and PINT BERRY BOXES

SHIPPED NOT LESS THAN 100 BOX LOTS

**100 Boxes for \$2<sup>50</sup>**  
Parcel Post

**500 Boxes for \$11<sup>00</sup>**  
Express

OFFER NO. 4

**50 SUPERFECTION**

**50 GEM**

**PREPAID  
FOR ONLY**

**\$2<sup>50</sup>**

NO DISCOUNT

## GEM

*A Dependable Everbearer*

The GEM everbearing has made a fine record. It is a favorite for commercial growers, a real money maker. GEM will bear three crops in 18 months, will start to bear 90 days after planting. Berries are above average size with a delicious flavor, a light red color which is even through the berry. Try some in your garden and you'll be satisfied.

25 for \$1.00      100 for \$2.75      500 for \$10.75  
50 for 1.50      250 for 6.25      1,000 for 19.50

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**WRITE US FOR SPECIAL PRICES ON LARGE  
QUANTITIES OF PLANTS. WE CAN SAVE YOU  
MONEY.**



# FAIRLAND

A new variety developed and introduced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The new Fairland Strawberry is Red Stele resistant and can be planted on low ground where other varieties would not grow on account of Red Stele infection in the ground.

The New Fairland ripens a few days later than the Premier. Berries are bright light red, large and very firm. Fairland is a good plant maker and has proven to be a heavy fruit bearer and an excellent shipper. Fairland is a fine variety for garden and home use. The berries are one of the best for freezing. We urge you to give Fairland a trial and are sure you will be satisfied.

## PRICES

25 for	\$ 1.00
50 for	1.75
100 for	2.75
250 for	6.25
500 for	10.25
1,000 for	18.50

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## SPECIAL EVERBEARING GARDEN OFFER

50 STREAMLINER  
50 GEM  
100 SUPERFECTION  
200 PLANTS

PREPAID  
FOR ONLY

**\$5.95**

NO DISCOUNT

OFFER NO. 5

50 ROBINSON  
50 DUNLAP

PREPAID  
FOR ONLY

**\$2.25**

NO DISCOUNT

## SENATOR DUNLAP

This variety is known as a canning berry and is contracted for by many canning factories. The berries are medium to large in size and have a deep red color to the core.

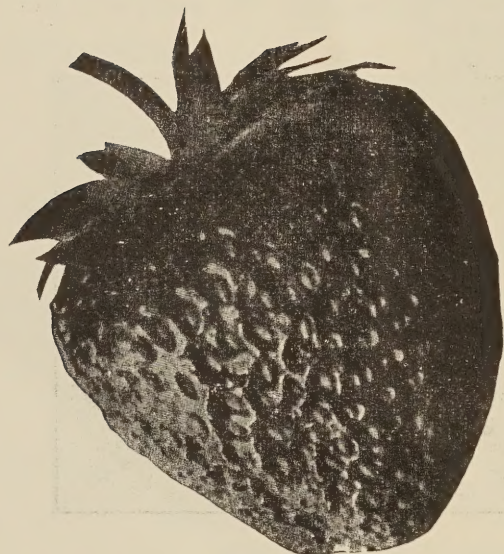
25 for	\$1.00	250 for	\$ 4.50
50 for	1.50	500 for	8.00
100 for	2.25	1,000 for	14.50

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*The New*

# SUPERFECTION

*Everbearing Strawberry*



The newest of the ever-bearing strawberries. This variety was originated in northern Michigan and promises to be one of the best everbearers ever grown.

**BEARS FRUIT 60 DAYS AFTER PLANTING.** Plants set in April and May will start to bear fruit in June and July, and will continue to bear until frost. The new Superfection will bear a full crop again next spring and summer.

Berries are large, round in shape, red all the way through and of firm texture. Superfection produces a heavy fruiting row on most any soil and forms fruit stems on the young runner plants making it a heavy fruit producer. We urge you to try the new SUPERFECTION for home use or profit. The fruit will command high prices at roadside stands and markets.

25 for \$1.50	250 for \$ 9.25
50 for 2.75	500 for 17.50
100 for 3.95	1,000 for 32.00

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*Offer No. 33*

50	Superfection	
50	Streamliner	
<u>100</u>	Plants FOR ONLY	<b>\$3.95</b>

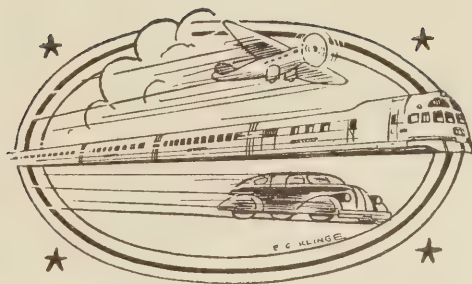
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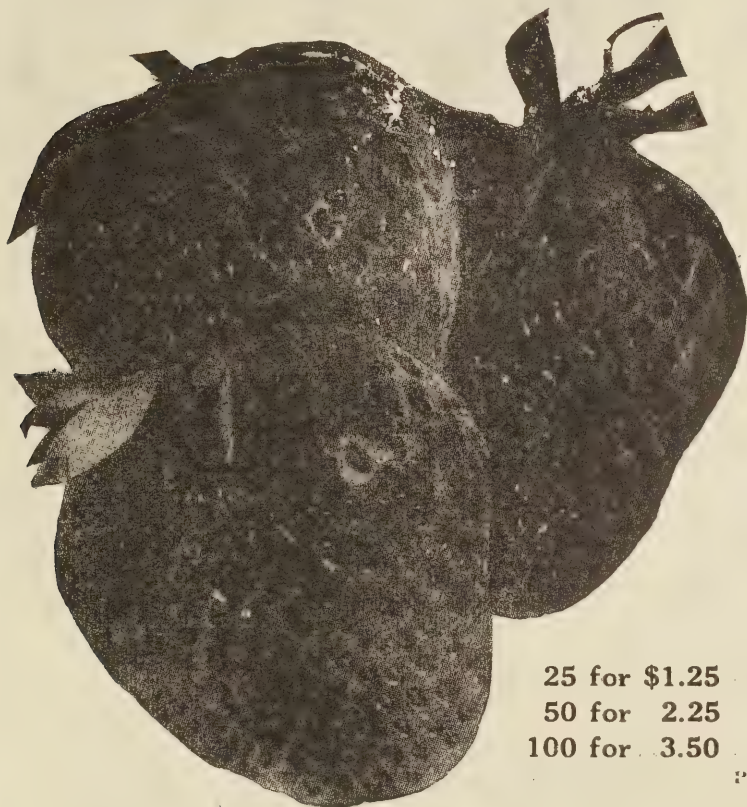
WRITE US FOR SPECIAL PRICES ON LARGE QUANTITIES OF PLANTS. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.



The Giant of All Everbearers  
Bears Fruit 60 Days After Planting



## Gateway's **STREAMLINER**



The new **STREAMLINER**—newest of the everbearing varieties, is a very hardy and productive plant; will start to bear fruit 60 days after planting! It is the largest berry of all everbearing strawberries — bearing the second year as well as the first. The berries are large, almost round, very bright red in color, firm and honey sweet. Think of it, with **STREAMLINER** you can enjoy Strawberry Shortcake from July to November. Plant **STREAMLINER** for home use or profit. Order yours early!

25 for \$1.25	250 for \$ 8.25
50 for 2.25	500 for 15.50
100 for 3.50	1,000 for 28.50

PREPAID

## THE NEW **ROBINSON**

This variety originated in Michigan and has been very successful the past four years. Berries ripen over a long period and it is a very heavy producer. Fruit is large, firm, conical shaped, has excellent flavor and stands shipping very well. A good canner and market berry.

25 for \$1.00	250 for \$ 5.50
50 for 1.75	500 for 9.25
100 for 2.50	1,000 for 15.50

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# Grape Vines

An Investment that will  
Last a Lifetime

## CONCORD

*Blue*

The most popular of all Blue Grapes—very hardy and productive. CONCORD ripens in late September and is the leading wine and market grape.

	Each	3	6	12	25
1-Yr.	.15	.40	\$ .75	\$1.40	\$2.50
2-Yr.	.25	.65	1.25	2.25	3.75
PREPAID					

## NIAGARA *White*

Best of the White Grapes—bunches are large and very juicy. When ripe, berries are a yellow-white. NIAGARA is a very heavy yielder.

	Each	3	6	12	25
1-Yr.	.20	.55	\$1.00	\$1.75	\$3.75
2-Yr.	.30	.85	1.50	2.50	4.25
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## DELAWARE *Red*

Long the leading table grape. Bunches are small and very compact; berries are small and very sweet. DELAWARE ripens about the same time as Concord.

	Each	3	6	12	25
1-Yr.	.20	.55	\$1.00	\$1.90	\$3.75
2-Yr.	.30	.85	1.50	2.50	4.25
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## RHUBARB *Victoria*

Large red stalks, early and very tender. Excellent for sauce, pies and jam. We offer large 2-year roots.

Each	.25	6 for	\$1.00
3 for	.60	12 for	1.75
25 for	\$3.25		
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*Cultivated*

## BLUEBERRIES

Profitable as well as ornamental—plant **CULTIVATED BLUEBERRIES** for table use or market. Blueberries are three or four times as large as the wild huckleberries. From two to five bushes will give enough fruit for canning and pies. Bushes are dark green, turning to dark red in late fall and winter, making a very good ornamental shrub. Blueberries like an acid soil. Use peat, rotted leaves or humus to make soil acid.

### ↓ RANCOCAS

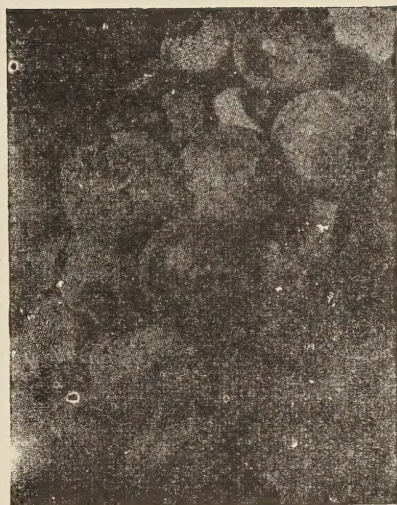
Early, very large, firm and hardy berries with very sweet flavor.

### ↓ JERSEY

Mid-season, largest of all Blueberries, is excellent for home use and shipping.

### ↓ RUBEL

Very late, recommended for commercial use. Berries very firm, large and of extra good quality. Plants are hardy, vigorous and very productive.



**2-Yr. Old Bushes**  
6-12 INCHES

**2 for \$1.50**

**5 for 3.25**

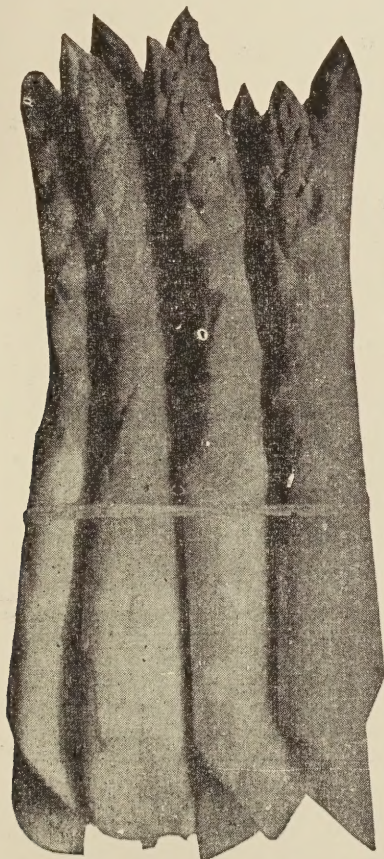
**10 for 5.75**

**PREPAID**

*Mary Washington*

## ASPARAGUS

The leading ASPARAGUS for home use or market. Developed and introduced by the Department of Agriculture. Stalks are large, very tender and more productive than any other variety.



**1-Yr.  
Roots**

**2-Yr.  
Roots**

**12 for \$ . . .**

**\$ .85**

**25 for 1.00**

**1.50**

**50 for 1.75**

**2.50**

**100 for 2.50**

**4.50**

**250 for 5.75**

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**PREPAID**



# Gateway's Fruit Trees - APPLES, PEARS, PEACHES



## RED DELICIOUS

Most popular apple grown. Tops the market at all times for highest prices. Fruit is very large, solid red, long in shape, with five points on blossom end. America's best eating apple.

## JONATHAN

America's No. 2 apple. A fine bright red apple of good size, firm white flesh of highest quality. Tender juicy and full of snap, a winter keeper.

## McINTOSH

A late fall apple. Fruit is red, large size with snow white flesh. A very good cooking and eating apple. Not a winter keeper. Apple prices:

2-Yr. Old Trees, 4 to 5 ft.

Each	\$1.00
3 for	2.75
5 for	4.25
10 for	7.50

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## BARTLETT PEAR

The most popular Pear of them all. Fruit is large, yellow with red blush. Flesh is snow white, juicy sweet and high quality. The best canning pear. Ripens in September. Prices: 2 yr. old trees 7/16 to 9/16 inch.

Each \$ 1.50

3 for 4.25

10 for 12.50

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## HALE-HAVEN

Most popular of all early Peaches. Fruit is freestone, a deep yellow, firm, yet tender, sweet and juicy. We think HaleHaven is the best canning and freezing peach there is.

## ELBERTA

The best commercial variety. Fruit is large and oblong in shape, deep yellow with red blush. Deep red around freestone pit with flesh of golden yellow. A heavy producer, freestone, firm and very good shipper.

## J. H. HALE

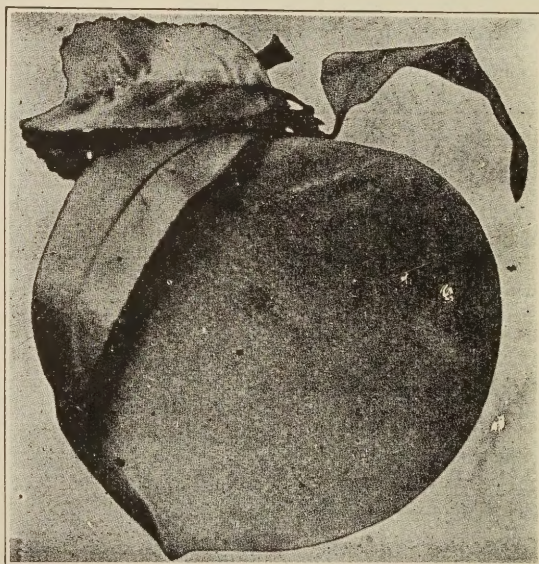
The giant of all peaches. Very large, round with thick yellow flesh. Freestone, fine texture and richly flavored. Ripens in September. HALE always sells for highest market prices.

### All Peach Tree Prices

4 to 5 ft. Trees

Each \$ .90	10 for \$ 7.00
3 for 2.50	25 for 15.00

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FRUIT TREES SHIPPED BY EXPRESS





## IRISH JUNIPER

Grows a tall, slender columnar form. Very popular in landscape planting. Prices:

15 to 18 in. tall:

**Each \$2.00**

**2 for 3.50**

18 to 24 in. tall.

**Each \$2.75**

**2 for 5.00**

NOT PREPAID

## BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

Probably the best of all Spruce varieties. A compact tree with a bluish-green foliage. Grows slower than Norway Spruce. Prices: 12 to 15 inch trees.

**Each \$1.25**

**3 for \$3.25**

NOT PREPAID

## WHITE SPRUCE

Similar to Norway Spruce. Grows with a denser habit. Prices: 12 to 15 inch trees.

**Each \$1.00**

**3 for \$2.75**

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# CUSHION MUMS

Called many things including Azelea and Mound Mums. These plants form an attractive mound or ball with hundreds of blooms from August to frost.

## ESKIMO

(White Cushion)—Blooms in August. Pure snow white.

## RED CUSHION

Fiery red with yellow center. Blooms in October.

## PINK CUSHION

The old favorite in cushion mums. Blooms in September.

## BRONZE CUSHION

Starts blooming in September to frost. Hundreds of coppery-orange blooms fading to a peach-yellow towards late fall.

## ALGONQUIN

This is not a cushion type mum. A tall grower with very showy yellow flowers. Makes very good cut flowers.

## DAHLIA MUM

A semi-cushion type. Low growing with very pretty fluffy petals. Blooms in September.

## CHAMPION

Cushion type. Starts blooming in September. Large reddish bronze flowers and a low bushy type plant wonderful for borders.

Prices on Cushion Mums.

### FIELD DIVISION

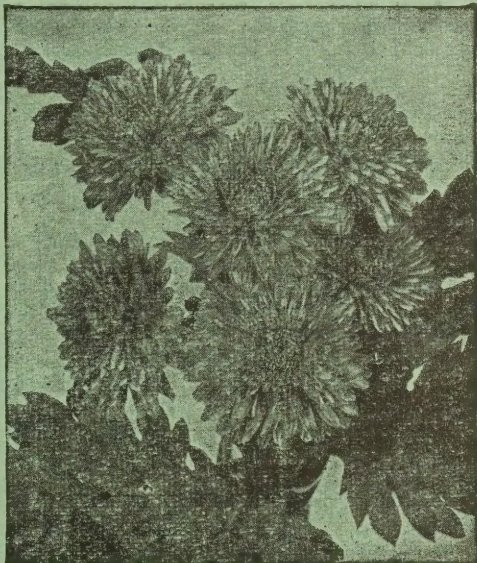
**Each \$ .15**

**5 for .60**

**10 for 1.00**

**25 for 2.00**

PREPAID



MUM PLANTS TO BE SHIPPED MAY 1st



# Bargain Collections

*Offer No. 66*

## Berry Garden

50 Gem Strawberry  
50 Dunlap Strawberry  
25 Cumberland Black Raspberry  
12 Latham Red Raspberry

A \$5<sup>75</sup> Value PREPAID FOR ONLY \$4<sup>50</sup>

NO DISCOUNT

*Offer No. 99*

## Home Strawberry Collection

100 Premier Spring Bearer (Early)  
100 Catskill Spring Bearer (Late)  
100 Superfection

PREPAID FOR ONLY \$6<sup>95</sup>

NO DISCOUNT

## Fruit Tree Special

1 Elberta Peach  
1 Hale Haven Peach  
1 Jonathan Apple  
1 Red Delicious Apple  
1 Bartlett Pear

PREPAID \$4<sup>25</sup> FOR ONLY

NO DISCOUNT

## Free Gift Offer

Send us the names of five or your friends or neighbors who might be interested in our catalog. With an order of \$5.00 or more we will send you free 10 Cushion Mum plants. You may have your choice of color or variety as listed in our Catalog.

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY! Write to us for Special Prices on large quantities of Plants.